

Kind of Building	a No. b No.	BUILDINGS COMPLETED						Under Construction 31/3/56 (7)	Jobs Commenced March Quarter 1956 (inc. in cols. 3 and 6, or 7)		
		Quarter ended March			Nine months ended March						
		1954 (1)	1955 (2)	1956 (3)	1954 (4)	1955 (5)	1956 (6)				
<u>HOUSES - Brick, stone, etc.</u>	a No. b No.	817	956	1,067	2,866	3,162	3,504	3,474	1,188		
		326	292	375	1,104	1,005	1,100	1,955	390		
Fibro Cement	a No. b No.	105	160	297	309	400	814	598	320		
		88	77	71	239	239	207	234	64		
Weatherboard & Other	a No. b No.	333	103	19	1,154	718	89	25	26		
		15	16	8	39	35	26	43	13		
<u>FLATS - Dwelling units</u>	a No.	-	40	14	60	87	82	117	2		
<u>HOTELS, GUEST HOUSES, ETC.</u>	a No.	3	3	2	5	11	9	9	2		
<u>TOTAL DWELLINGS, ETC.</u> (inc. Emergency)	a No. b No. £000	1,258	1,262	1,399	4,394	4,378	4,498	4,223	1,533		
		429	385	454	1,382	1,279	1,333	2,232	467		
	a £000	4,612	4,613	5,668	15,532	16,009	17,645	19,648	6,214		
<u>FACTORIES</u>	a No. £000	20	17	38	50	78	122	102	43		
		694	160	825	1,100	925	2,321	4,092	749		
<u>OTHER NEW BUILDINGS</u>	a No. £000	148	147	159	441	554	452	373	165		
		1,263	1,162	1,448	2,462	3,708	3,722	13,506	2,599		
<u>TOTAL NEW BUILDINGS</u>	a b No. a b £000	1,855	1,811	2,050	6,267	6,289	6,405	6,930	2,213		
		6,569	5,935	7,941	19,094	20,642	23,688	37,246	9,562		

a. By Building Contractors

b. By home builders

ACTUALLY WORKING ON JOBS 29TH MARCH, 1956 *

* Excluding those engaged only in minor repairs, etc., and own home builders.

Contractors & Sub Contractors 2,692; Wage Earners 8,860 Total 29.3.56 - 11,552; 30.6.55 - 10,876; 30.6.54 - 10,038;
30.6.53 - 9,371; 30.6.52 - 10,371; 30.6.51 - 10,168.The following tradesmen were included above - Carpenters 3,512, Bricklayers 1,764, Painters 1,024,
Electricians 488, Plumbers 859, Building Labourers 2,105, Other 1,800, Total 11,552.